

**Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH)**  
**Immunization Program**  
**Adult Vaccine Availability Table**

**Eligibility:**

- MDPH provides some vaccines for adults in limited quantities. The availability of vaccines for adults changes based on funding.
- Some vaccines are available for public provider sites only. State supplied vaccine at these sites should be used for adults without insurance or for adults who are under-insured.
- For the purposes of this table, public provider sites are defined as: local boards of health, visiting nurse associations (VNAs), federally qualified community health centers (CHCs), sexually transmitted disease (STD) clinics and integrated counseling, testing and referral sites.

The only vaccines currently provided by MDPH for adults are outlined in the table below.

<b>Vaccine</b>	<b>MDPH Supplied Vaccine Available For</b>
<b>Hep A</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adults in ACIP recommended groups* seen at public provider sites</li> </ul>
<b>Hep B</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adults in ACIP recommended groups* seen at public provider sites</li> <li>• Adults requiring hepatitis B vaccination for college entry at both public and private provider sites</li> </ul> <p><u>Please Note:</u> Employers covered by federal OSHA regulations are responsible for supplying hepatitis B vaccine to their at-risk employees. State-supplied vaccine is <b>not</b> available for this group.</p>
<b>Influenza</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adults in ACIP recommended groups* seen at public and private provider sites depending on availability of state-supplied vaccine</li> </ul>
<b>MMR</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adults in ACIP recommended groups* seen at public provider sites and post-secondary institutions</li> </ul>
<b>Pneumococcal Polysaccharide (PPV23)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All adults in ACIP recommended groups* at both public and private provider sites</li> </ul>
<b>Polio</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adults in ACIP recommended groups* seen at public providers sites</li> </ul>
<b>Td</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All adults, regardless of age, at both public and private provider sites</li> </ul>
<b>Varicella</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Household contacts of immunocompromised individuals, regardless of age, at both public and private provider sites</li> <li>• Adults in ACIP recommended groups* seen at public provider sites</li> </ul>

\*For a list of vaccines and the groups for whom vaccine is recommended, please see the MDPH *Summary of Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) Recommended Groups for Vaccination*. For the complete ACIP recommendations, see [www.cdc.gov/nip/ACIP/default.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/nip/ACIP/default.htm).